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## AMENDMENT/RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action dated June 5, 2001 (paper No. 6), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

- 4. (Amended) An intranasal formulation as in claim 1, wherein said buffer salt concentration is at or below about 100 mM.
- 5. (Amended) An intranasal formulation as in claim 1, wherein said buffer salt concentration is at or below about 50 mM.

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